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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Janaswamy Madhusudana Rao et al.

Serial No.: 10/695,471 Examiner: M. Flood

Filed: October 28, 2003 Group Art Unit: 1655

FOR : A NOVEL HERBAL COMPOSITION FOR THE TREATMENT OF

GASTRIC ULCER

1185 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10036 July 9, 2007

MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed February 9, 2007 finally rejecting pending claims 1-4, 6, 7, and 9-12 in connection with the above-identified application. The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) and § 41.20(b)(2) is FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$400.00). A response to the February 9, 2007 Final Office Action was originally due on May 9, 2007. Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time. The fee for a two-month extension of time is FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$450.00). A response to the February 9, 2007 Final Office Action is now due July 9, 2007, making this application pending today for the purpose of filing a Notice of Appeal.

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Authorization is hereby given to charge \$850.00, including the \$400.00 fee for filing a Notice of Appeal and the \$450.00 fee for a two-month extension of time, to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. If any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to the same Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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